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KENTUCKY LABOR FORCE ESTIMATES  
Preliminary May 2009  
AREA DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS

BMK 08

U.S. Comparable Rate - 9.1%

COUNTY	CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE	EMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT	UNEMPLOYMENT RATE		
				May 09	April 09	May 08
Statewide	2,080,205	1,861,417	218,788	10.5%	9.7%	6.2%
PURCHASE	91,749	83,270	8,479	9.2%	8.4%	6.1%
BALLARD	4,246	3,860	386	9.1%	8.6%	6.4%
CALLOWAY	17,850	16,383	1,467	8.2%	7.3%	5.7%
CARLISLE	2,230	2,037	193	8.7%	8.2%	6.8%
FULTON	2,742	2,371	371	13.5%	12.4%	7.3%
GRAVES	16,084	14,431	1,653	10.3%	9.4%	7.0%
HICKMAN	2,051	1,864	187	9.1%	7.5%	6.7%
MCCRACKEN	31,759	29,039	2,720	8.6%	7.8%	5.7%
MARSHALL	14,787	13,285	1,502	10.2%	9.2%	6.1%
PENNYRILE	97,653	86,628	11,025	11.3%	10.5%	7.6%
CALDWELL	6,830	6,118	712	10.4%	9.3%	6.4%
CHRISTIAN	29,602	26,142	3,460	11.7%	10.9%	8.9%
CRITTENDEN	4,125	3,657	468	11.3%	10.3%	6.1%
HOPKINS	22,956	20,761	2,195	9.6%	8.9%	7.7%
LIVINGSTON	4,898	4,428	470	9.6%	9.9%	5.8%
LYON	3,371	2,955	416	12.3%	11.3%	6.8%
MUHLENBERG	13,767	12,208	1,559	11.3%	10.1%	7.7%
TODD	5,432	4,770	662	12.2%	11.1%	6.9%
TRIGG	6,672	5,589	1,083	16.2%	15.7%	6.5%
GREEN RIVER	109,386	97,862	11,524	10.5%	10.0%	5.5%
DAVIESS	48,963	44,226	4,737	9.7%	8.7%	5.3%
HANCOCK	4,532	3,920	612	13.5%	11.9%	6.0%
HENDERSON	23,610	20,938	2,672	11.3%	11.8%	5.4%
MCLEAN	4,749	4,248	501	10.5%	9.4%	6.3%
OHIO	12,934	11,547	1,387	10.7%	9.9%	5.5%
UNION	7,983	7,009	974	12.2%	11.8%	6.2%
WEBSTER	6,615	5,974	641	9.7%	9.5%	6.2%
BARREN RIVER	140,601	123,873	16,728	11.9%	11.0%	5.9%
ALLEN	9,033	7,671	1,362	15.1%	14.5%	6.3%
BARREN	20,379	17,803	2,576	12.6%	12.1%	5.7%
BUTLER	5,789	4,923	866	15.0%	14.2%	7.4%
EDMONSON	5,526	4,784	742	13.4%	12.5%	6.9%
HART	8,378	7,521	857	10.2%	9.5%	6.4%
LOGAN	12,923	11,451	1,472	11.4%	10.7%	5.8%
METCALFE	4,706	4,023	683	14.5%	13.5%	6.3%
MONROE	4,978	4,250	728	14.6%	13.7%	7.9%
SIMPSON	10,005	8,627	1,378	13.8%	13.9%	5.9%
WARREN	58,884	52,820	6,064	10.3%	9.0%	5.5%



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LINCOLN TRAIL	128,576	113,190	15,386	12.0%	11.4%	6.3%
BRECKINRIDGE	9,542	8,378	1,164	12.2%	11.2%	6.6%
GRAYSON	11,466	9,850	1,616	14.1%	13.2%	8.7%
HARDIN	49,319	44,134	5,185	10.5%	9.8%	5.8%
LARUE	7,336	6,457	879	12.0%	11.6%	5.9%
MARION	10,959	9,525	1,434	13.1%	12.2%	5.7%
MEADE	12,047	10,536	1,511	12.5%	11.7%	6.8%
NELSON	22,230	19,364	2,866	12.9%	13.1%	6.0%
WASHINGTON	5,677	4,946	731	12.9%	12.3%	6.7%
KIPDA	473,320	425,010	48,310	10.2%	9.4%	5.9%
BULLITT	39,858	35,454	4,404	11.0%	10.0%	5.9%
HENRY	8,002	7,147	855	10.7%	9.9%	5.7%
JEFFERSON	362,685	325,492	37,193	10.3%	9.4%	6.0%
OLDHAM	27,621	25,329	2,292	8.3%	7.6%	5.1%
SHELBY	21,633	19,552	2,081	9.6%	8.7%	5.0%
SPENCER	9,048	8,094	954	10.5%	9.2%	5.7%
TRIMBLE	4,473	3,942	531	11.9%	11.2%	6.1%
NORTHERN KENTUCKY	230,129	206,880	23,249	10.1%	9.7%	5.7%
BOONE	62,979	57,156	5,823	9.2%	8.9%	5.2%
CAMPBELL	45,381	40,993	4,388	9.7%	9.3%	5.8%
CARROLL	5,808	5,090	718	12.4%	11.8%	6.9%
GALLATIN	4,086	3,569	517	12.7%	11.9%	5.7%
GRANT	13,190	11,526	1,664	12.6%	12.0%	6.2%
KENTON	85,592	77,051	8,541	10.0%	9.7%	5.6%
OWEN	5,419	4,829	590	10.9%	9.6%	6.0%
PENDLETON	7,674	6,666	1,008	13.1%	12.6%	7.6%
BUFFALO TRACE	27,345	23,976	3,369	12.3%	11.7%	6.9%
BRACKEN	4,418	3,879	539	12.2%	12.4%	6.9%
FLEMING	6,742	5,885	857	12.7%	11.7%	6.8%
LEWIS	5,943	5,076	867	14.6%	14.0%	8.5%
MASON	9,239	8,239	1,000	10.8%	10.1%	5.9%
ROBERTSON	1,003	897	106	10.6%	9.8%	5.9%
GATEWAY	38,585	33,813	4,772	12.4%	11.4%	7.2%
BATH	5,375	4,515	860	16.0%	15.2%	7.7%
MENIFEE	2,734	2,333	401	14.7%	15.7%	8.0%
MONTGOMERY	12,709	11,149	1,560	12.3%	11.2%	6.9%
MORGAN	5,087	4,362	725	14.3%	12.5%	9.5%
ROWAN	12,680	11,454	1,226	9.7%	8.5%	6.3%

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FIVCO	64,553	57,878	6,675	10.3%	9.5%	7.0%
BOYD	23,469	21,414	2,055	8.8%	7.9%	5.8%
CARTER	13,836	12,075	1,761	12.7%	11.6%	8.7%
ELLIOTT	3,245	2,829	416	12.8%	11.7%	9.2%
GREENUP	18,039	16,348	1,691	9.4%	8.9%	6.1%
LAWRENCE	5,964	5,212	752	12.6%	11.3%	9.1%
BIG SANDY	59,586	53,026	6,560	11.0%	9.3%	7.0%
FLOYD	15,557	13,868	1,689	10.9%	9.0%	7.0%
JOHNSON	9,668	8,616	1,052	10.9%	9.6%	6.7%
MAGOFFIN	4,499	3,689	810	18.0%	16.9%	10.8%
MARTIN	3,454	3,066	388	11.2%	9.6%	8.4%
PIKE	26,408	23,787	2,621	9.9%	8.0%	6.2%
KENTUCKY RIVER	42,554	37,810	4,744	11.1%	9.9%	7.5%
BREATHITT	5,646	5,073	573	10.1%	9.4%	7.8%
KNOTT	6,402	5,714	688	10.7%	9.4%	7.0%
LEE	2,741	2,410	331	12.1%	10.5%	7.2%
LESLIE	3,651	3,172	479	13.1%	11.0%	9.1%
LETCHER	8,850	7,939	911	10.3%	9.4%	7.2%
OWSLEY	1,529	1,358	171	11.2%	9.8%	8.2%
PERRY	11,411	10,125	1,286	11.3%	9.8%	7.1%
WOLFE	2,324	2,019	305	13.1%	12.0%	9.2%
CUMBERLAND VALLEY	94,345	83,088	11,257	11.9%	10.7%	7.9%
BELL	9,618	8,433	1,185	12.3%	10.9%	9.6%
CLAY	6,988	6,001	987	14.1%	12.8%	10.2%
HARLAN	9,990	8,878	1,112	11.1%	9.8%	9.3%
JACKSON	4,308	3,558	750	17.4%	15.9%	11.4%
KNOX	13,099	11,551	1,548	11.8%	10.7%	7.6%
LAUREL	27,038	24,286	2,752	10.2%	9.3%	6.4%
ROCKCASTLE	7,660	6,567	1,093	14.3%	13.0%	7.0%
WHITLEY	15,644	13,814	1,830	11.7%	10.2%	7.4%
LAKE CUMBERLAND	95,535	84,651	10,884	11.4%	10.7%	6.7%
ADAIR	9,222	8,173	1,049	11.4%	10.4%	6.6%
CASEY	7,342	6,571	771	10.5%	9.7%	6.6%
CLINTON	4,735	4,272	463	9.8%	9.4%	5.3%
CUMBERLAND	2,984	2,575	409	13.7%	13.1%	6.4%
GREEN	5,741	5,016	725	12.6%	11.8%	7.2%
MCCREARY	5,895	5,062	833	14.1%	14.1%	9.5%
PULASKI	27,829	24,980	2,849	10.2%	9.6%	6.5%
RUSSELL	8,583	7,562	1,021	11.9%	10.6%	6.5%
TAYLOR	14,255	12,733	1,522	10.7%	10.0%	6.0%
WAYNE	8,949	7,707	1,242	13.9%	13.5%	7.6%

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BLUEGRASS	386,290	350,463	35,827	9.3%	8.5%	5.5%
ANDERSON	11,042	9,929	1,113	10.1%	9.7%	5.5%
BOURBON	9,782	8,900	882	9.0%	8.5%	5.6%
BOYLE	13,064	11,534	1,530	11.7%	10.7%	6.6%
CLARK	17,692	15,833	1,859	10.5%	9.6%	6.4%
ESTILL	6,289	5,488	801	12.7%	12.1%	7.6%
FAYETTE	151,950	140,211	11,739	7.7%	6.9%	4.9%
FRANKLIN	24,934	22,682	2,252	9.0%	8.2%	5.8%
GARRARD	7,918	6,938	980	12.4%	11.2%	6.2%
HARRISON	9,707	8,566	1,141	11.8%	11.2%	5.9%
JESSAMINE	23,167	21,064	2,103	9.1%	8.4%	5.3%
LINCOLN	10,928	9,585	1,343	12.3%	11.6%	6.9%
MADISON	43,612	39,444	4,168	9.6%	8.6%	5.6%
MERCER	10,956	9,683	1,273	11.6%	10.6%	5.8%
NICHOLAS	3,189	2,801	388	12.2%	12.0%	6.7%
POWELL	5,771	4,865	906	15.7%	14.6%	8.1%
SCOTT	22,934	20,626	2,308	10.1%	9.8%	5.5%
WOODFORD	13,355	12,314	1,041	7.8%	6.9%	4.7%
BOWLING GREEN MSA	64,410	57,604	6,806	10.6%	9.3%	5.6%
ELIZABETHTOWN MSA	56,655	50,591	6,064	10.7%	10.1%	5.8%
LEXINGTON MSA	238,880	218,948	19,932	8.3%	7.6%	5.1%
LOUISVILLE MSA	634,137	569,703	64,434	10.2%	9.4%	5.7%
OWENSBORO MSA	58,244	52,394	5,850	10.0%	9.0%	5.4%